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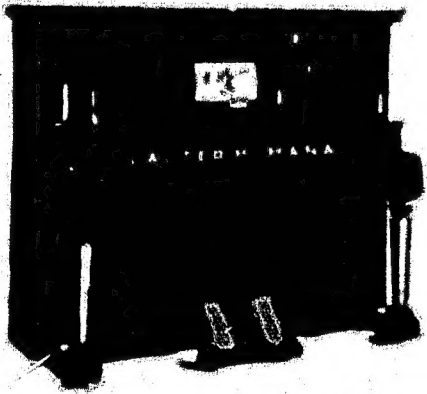
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want it.
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BETHEL AND VICINITY.

Mrs. C. W. Hall was in Lewiston, Tuesday.

Mrs. John A. Masterson is a guest at the home of S. J. Morse.

Mr. Elmer Young was a business visitor in Portland, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Sidney Abbott of Andover is the guest of her niece, Miss Annie Frye.

Mr. A. L. Young of Auburn was a business visitor in town the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tuell were guests of relatives at West Sumner last Thursday.

The Red Cross dance has been given up on account of the Benefit Ball on Friday evening, Oct. 5.

Miss Beatrice Brown, who has been visiting friends in Newburyport, Mass., returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Mina W. Harriman left for Hobron, Monday, where she has employment in the Sanatorium.

Dr. Oscar Braun and family of Augusta are guests of Mrs. Braun's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Twaddle.

Mr. Ivan Arno, who has been employed at the Waumbek Hotel at Jefferson, N. H., has returned home.

Miss Mae Wiley, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Portland and Bar Mills, has returned to Bethel.

Miss Marion Everett left for Boston, Monday, where she will enter the Homopathic Hospital to train for a nurse.

Mrs. Carolyn Eames, who has been spending several months in Bethel, left for Boston, Monday, where she and her daughter will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Deegan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Marguerite May, born September 18, at the home of Mrs. Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks and three little sons of Bridgeport, Conn., also Mrs. Austin P. Rogers of Paris Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Kilham at Bangs for a day last week.

At the Home Missionary meeting last Wednesday evening Mrs. Fannie H. Levey was chosen a delegate to the New England conference to be held in Portland, Oct. 11, 12, 13.

Mrs. Diana Wright, who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Mary W. Harriman, went to South Paris, Monday, where she will spend the winter with her brother.

Robert Hethab Lodge held a picnic out meeting and observed roll call, Monday evening. While not a large number were present, responses were read from quite a number of our members.

Mr. H. C. Rowe was in South Paris, Sunday, to see Mr. Ernest F. Biesler, who is at his mother's, having left the Maine General Hospital. Mr. Biesler is gaining slowly but is still confined to the house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown and Mrs. Leona Merrill returned home Thursday from Milford, Mass., where they have been visiting relatives. They also visited Mrs. Brown's sister in Chelsea, and Mr. Brown's daughter in Newburyport, Mass., making the trip by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Abbott of Upton were guests of Mr. Charles H. Davis, Friday, and Saturday, Mr. Davis and daughter, Elsie, accompanied them on a motor trip to Portland. Mr. Davis and daughter also visited in Portsmouth and all returned home Monday.

Among those who are attending the Maine Music Festival in Portland are Mrs. P. L. Edwards, Mrs. Henry A. Davis, Mr. D. R. Hastings, Mrs. W. O. Brown, Mrs. S. N. Blackwood, Mr. Charles L. Pollard, Mrs. P. J. Tyler and daughter, Esther, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Thorsen, Miss Elsie Herrick.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Rishon, accompanied by Mrs. B. H. Rishon and Mrs. E. C. Pack, spent a day visiting among the White Mountains last Wednesday. The route chosen was via Madison and Jefferson to Twin Mountain and Franconia Notch, including Lake Umbagog, then to Bethel Woods and Crawford Notch, returning by Parkman Notch and the Glen to Glen House, making a delightful day's ride of 100 miles.

Mr. John Brown of South Paris was in town, Sunday.

Miss Hazel Douglass was in South Paris the first of the week.

Miss Alice Kimball left for Dorchester, Mass., the first of the week.

Miss Hattie Harris has been spending a few days with relatives on Sunday River.

Miss Evangeline Atherton and Miss Alice Cross were in Loske's Mills, Saturday.

Miss Belle Snodgrass of Berlin, N. H., was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bartlett of Andover were guests of relatives in town, Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Tyler and daughter, Esther, and Mrs. W. H. Young spent the week end in Lewiston.

The Wactait Club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. W. C. Bryant, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. J. S. Rich, who has been spending several days at the "Roost," has returned to his home in New York.

Masters Richard and Gardner Brown of Albany visited their mother, Mrs. E. P. Brown, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Bisbee of New Bedford, Mass., was called to Bethel last week by the death of her mother, Mrs. Adeline Andrews.

Mr. Fred A. Tibbets has returned to his duties in the Bethel National Bank after spending his vacation at his home in Palermo.

Mrs. Mary MacNab of Indiana is on an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Angolia Clark. Mrs. MacNab is 83 years young and made the trip east alone.

Mrs. Chas. L. Davis, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wormell, and family in Portland, returned home Sunday.

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leave it at Douglass' store, also bot-
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RUMFORD

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Greene were
pleasantly surprised on Saturday after-
noon when friends called to extend
congratulations, the occasion being
their 50th wedding anniversary. Af-
ter the first guests arrived Mr. and
Mrs. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Lam-
bert of Readfield received in the
drawing room which was tastefully de-
corated, as was also the living and din-
ing rooms, with autumn leaves, bou-
quets of roses, sweet peas, and carnations.
This informal reception, held
from four to six o'clock, was planned
as a completed surprise to Mr. and
Mrs. Greene as arrangements for the
gifts were made by Dr. and Mrs. J.
A. Greene. In the dining room Mrs.
J. K. McKenzie poured tea and Mrs.
Charles Howe and Miss Marguerite
McKenzie assisted in serving. Mr. and
Mrs. Greene were married at Strat-
ton when each was twenty-two years
of age and continued to reside in that
city until coming to Rumford
about ten years ago. Their children
are Mrs. Frank Lambert of Readfield
and Dr. John A. Greene of Rumford,
and the three grandchildren are Don-
ald and Edwin Lambert and John F.
Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs.
Oliver Pettengill, Miss Ella Ames and
Mrs. James Clark motored to Oquossoc,
Sunday, and had dinner at the Bowers
camp on Rangeley Lake.

Work on the new south wing of the
Stephens High school is progressing
rapidly and will be ready for occu-
pation sometime in November. P. F.
Howard is superintending the con-
struction and the cost of the wing will
be about \$10,000, the sum expended for
a similar wing on the north. A large
laboratory is located on the second
floor for the use of physics and agri-
culture. The room for the classes in
English is also located on this floor.
The two rooms of the first floor will
be used by the junior high with Miss
Ellis Lovell as instructor. The high
school at the present is very crowded
with a total enrollment of 307 schol-
ars.

Mrs. J. A. Garneau has been con-
fined to the house for the past two
weeks on account of illness.

The ladies of the Methodist church
have chosen their committees for the
Christmas sale to be held Tuesday,
Nov. 4, as follows: Miscellaneous
Mrs. J. W. Harris, Mrs. B. M.
Woodman, Apron Table, Mrs. J. B.
Stevenson, Mrs. J. W. Simpson, Mrs.
A. McKee, Candy Table, Mrs. A. S.
Sparks, Mrs. H. C. Moody, Miss Mar-
celine Wrentham, Miss Frances Har-
rison. Mrs. Frances Wheel left Monday to
resume her study of music at the New
York University.

The football team of Stephens High
which has been organized with
Charles Peterson as manager are prac-
ticing daily under the direction of H.
H. McCall, the submaster. The sched-
ule which is somewhat shorter than
usual is as follows: Oct. 6, Norway at
Bethel; Oct. 13, Rumford at Wilton;
Oct. 20, Wilton at Rumford; Nov. 3,
Rumford at Farmington; Nov. 17,
Bethel at Kent's Hill Seminary.
Nov. 24, Rumford at Norway. Walter
Crawford has been chosen president of
the Athletic Association and Philip
Clark is the captain of the boys' track
team. Three new shower baths have
recently been installed which add
greatly to the comfort of the athletes.

Mr. M. L. Griffin attended the meet-
ing of the Pulp and Paper Association
which was held recently at Holyoke,
Mass. From there he went to New
York City to attend the Chemical Ex-
position.

Miss Olive Eaton has returned from
a six weeks' visit with friends and
relatives in Stowe. Miss Eaton will
reside with Mrs. David Gilmeur at 3
Cushman street.

Henry P. Johnson, submaster at the
Rumford High school last year, is at-
tending the Harvard Medical School.
On Friday evening the Parity Ro-
man Lodge will hold a patriotic
meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Anderson
were week end guests of Mrs. Ander-
son's sister, Mr. John B. Martin, and
family. Mrs. Anderson is the daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hotchkiss
of North Fryeburg and her marriage
to Mr. Anderson occurred Sept. 23rd.
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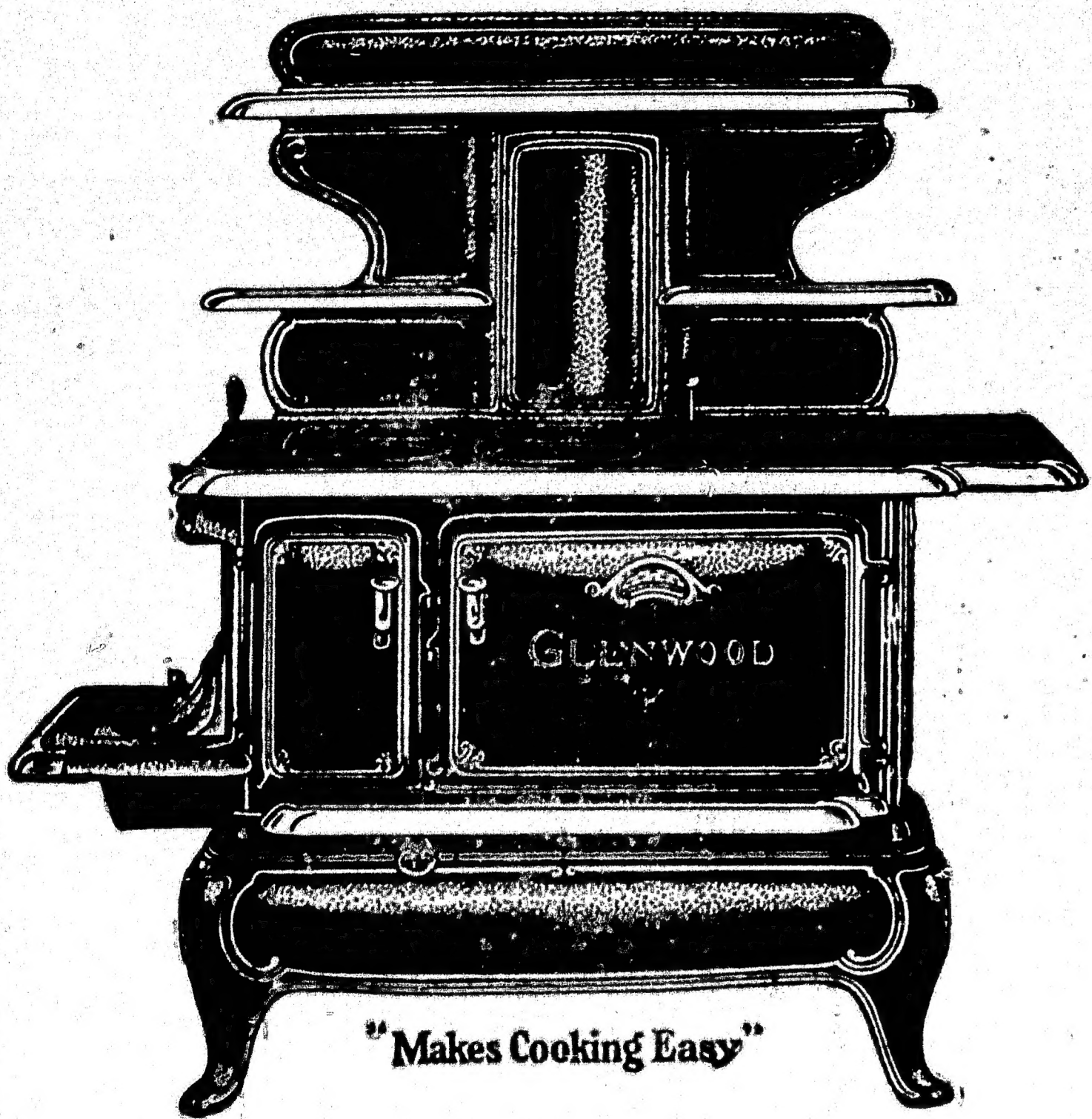
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because it interferes with your ability to work
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CORN MEAL OR CANNON BALLS

The Western and Florida of some years ago had a great success in the Maine food conservation campaign which is being conducted under the management of Dr. John H. Merrill, Food Administrator for Maine.

The object of this campaign is to save what is due to need to our ally by the substitution of corn meal, eggs, milk, and meat in Maine homes.

The people of the state cannot afford to waste any of the food which is so scarce. It is the duty of every citizen to do his part in saving the food which is so scarce.

There are many ways in which you can save food. One way is to use corn meal in your cooking. Another way is to use eggs in your cooking. A third way is to use meat in your cooking.

A few recipes follow which have been approved by Herbert Hoover. As detailed recipes will be published later. Watch the newspaper columns for further news of the Maine food conservation campaign.

CORN MEAL BREAD

1 cup liquid (1 1/2 cup milk, 1 1/2 cup water), 1 tablespoon shortening, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, 1 1/2 cups corn meal, 1 cup yellow or white corn meal, Wheat flour (about 2 cups). Sift the yeast cake in the water. Measure salt, sugar and shortening into a mixing bowl. Add the wetted milk and beat the mixture until it is thick. Add the yeast and corn meal and beat thoroughly. Add wheat flour gradually until the dough can be rolled on a floured surface. Turn the dough onto a floured board and knead it into a ball. It can be kneaded on an oiled board for 1 minute without sticking. Place the dough in a clean bowl. Cover tight with a clean cloth. Cover tight. Let it stand in the bowl for 1 hour. Knead the dough on a floured board for 10 minutes. Roll it into a loaf. Bake in a hot oven for 1 hour. It is done when it is browned on top and when it sounds hollow when tapped.

CORN MEAL AND WHITE BREAD

1 cup milk, 1 cup water, 1 cup corn meal, 1 cup white flour, 1 1/2 cups sugar, 1 1/2 cups salt, 1 1/2 cups yeast. Sift the yeast cake in the water. Measure salt, sugar and shortening into a mixing bowl. Add the wetted milk and beat the mixture until it is thick. Add the yeast and corn meal and beat thoroughly. Add white flour gradually until the dough can be rolled on a floured surface. Turn the dough onto a floured board and knead it into a ball. It can be kneaded on an oiled board for 1 minute without sticking. Place the dough in a clean bowl. Cover tight with a clean cloth. Cover tight. Let it stand in the bowl for 1 hour. Knead the dough on a floured board for 10 minutes. Roll it into a loaf. Bake in a hot oven for 1 hour. It is done when it is browned on top and when it sounds hollow when tapped.

the corn meal, salt, sugar and fat, and beat the mixture gradually to the boiling point or nearly to it and cook 10 minutes. This cooking can be done in a double boiler. The water is sufficient only to soften the meal a little. Allow the meal to cool to about the temperature of the room and add the flour and yeast, mixed with the rest of the water, or the 1 1/2 cups of liquid yeast. Mold thoroughly, let rise until it doubles its bulk, make a loaf, place in a pan of standard size, allow to rise until it nearly fills the pan, and bake 45 or 50 minutes.

CORNMEAL YEAST BREAD

One and one-fourth cups liquid (milk and water or water), 2 tablespoons sugar, 1 tablespoon fat, 2 teaspoons salt, 2 1/2 cups corn meal, 1 1/2 cups yeast. Sift the yeast cake in the water. Measure salt, sugar and shortening into a mixing bowl. Add the wetted milk and beat the mixture until it is thick. Add the yeast and corn meal and beat thoroughly. Add white flour gradually until the dough can be rolled on a floured surface. Turn the dough onto a floured board and knead it into a ball. It can be kneaded on an oiled board for 1 minute without sticking. Place the dough in a clean bowl. Cover tight with a clean cloth. Cover tight. Let it stand in the bowl for 1 hour. Knead the dough on a floured board for 10 minutes. Roll it into a loaf. Bake in a hot oven for 1 hour. It is done when it is browned on top and when it sounds hollow when tapped.

What we want is the old spirit of our forefathers; the firm conviction that we are citizens, not by sympathy, but by action; that we are men, not by name, but by deed; that we are Americans, not by birth, but by deed.

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APPLE TREES, SPRAYED AND UNSPRAYED.

By Frank H. Dalley, State Horticulturist.

There never has been a season to demonstrate more clearly the need of spraying than the present season. Caterpillars of all descriptions have been very numerous, defoliating the unsprayed trees. Apples coming from unsprayed trees, especially of the McIntosh Red and Fameuse varieties, are so thoroughly covered with scale as to make them unpalatable and are only fit to be basted to the cider mill or fed to stock. The price obtained from sale of apples on one tree properly sprayed will pay for the spraying of many trees. The price offered for apples this year makes many wish they had taken better care of their trees this season.

If you have never sprayed before, commence next spring with the dormant spray. If you do not have on hand full spraying directions, write us for Spraying Calendar which contains full directions for four sprayings.

Spraying will do fully as much good for the next season as for the present, therefore we should spray every year. This will prevent disease or insect pests from getting a foothold. Sprays of the scale will live through the winter on twigs of the tree, ready to scatter foliage and fruit the next season, if not sprayed. Sprayed trees should have no more than three or four leaves that are gayety. The foliage of sprayed trees will be retained much later in the fall, which helps to mature fruit buds, as well as to mature and color fruit.

Maine Department of Agriculture, John A. Roberts, Commissioner.

SELECT HEALTHY BEAN SEED.

Bean Growers Should at Once Take Steps to Secure Good Disease-Free Seed.

Every bean grower without delay should take steps to secure good seed for next year's planting, either from his own crop or from fields which he knows to be free from anthracnose and blight, the bean specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture advise. Seed from plants killed by frost before the pods are dry and mature should not be used.

The use of good seed—properly ripened, plump, intact, and free from disease—is essential for securing large yields. It is crop insurance for growers to lay in their seed while there is still opportunity to inspect the fields, or they can pick from the cream of commercial stocks instead of having to take whatever may be available later. Seed from carefully selected, clean pods grown in one's own seed plot, of course, are safest. Once the beans have been threshed it is difficult to detect all which have come from diseased pods. It is possible, moreover, in the seed plot by planting the seed in hills and by spraying with Bordeaux mixture to protect the plants from anthracnose, even at an expense not warranted in larger plantings. The grower should see that no one moves among the seed plants while they are wet with rain or dew, when spores of the fungus causing anthracnose most readily are spread.

After the seed is threshed—and this is particularly important in the case of commercial seed—the grower should pick over his seed by hand two or three times and throw out all damaged or diseased beans and those not uniform in size and color. Even especially hand-picked seed often contains many affected beans. While a few discolored beans are not objectionable for household use, every such seed when planted may spread disease to many neighboring plants. In purchasing beans for planting a germination test should be made and only seed of high quality accepted.

Where a seed plot is used the grower would do well to set aside and store separately with especial care the seed selected for next season's planting.

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THE RED CROSS AT CHRISTMAS COVE

Through the interest, energy and labor of Mrs. Farnsworth, Christmas Cove has maintained a prosperous Red Cross Society this season. During the winter Mrs. Farnsworth collected among her friends in Cleveland a goodly sum of money to back the enterprise. To this amount Mr. Bingham and Mr. Upson contributed generously, bringing the record of "Cash on Hand" up to one thousand dollars. Mrs. Gehring placed in the treasury one hundred dollars for the purchase of wool to be made into socks. Before many of the summer people arrived the work had been nobly seconded and valuable assistance rendered by the residents of the Cove. The meetings have been largely attended and the work of the gentlemen at the bandage machines has been marvelous. Their rival being Mrs. Strayer, who broke the record at fifty bandages in one morning's work.

The members of the Board of Directors have proved themselves efficient and tactful and deserve to see their names in print. The list follows: Mrs. George Farnsworth, Chairman; Miss Sarah E. Darling, Secretary; Mrs. S. A. Miles; Mrs. Charles G. Sewall; Mrs. Franklin Sutherland; Mrs. John Strong.

Mrs. Farnsworth is working as valiantly in Chillicothe, Ohio, where Capt. Farnsworth is stationed. The generosity of Eastern friends enabled her to add a substantial sum to the work, which was gratefully received, as the smaller towns in the Middle West have not had the assistance which New England has had bestowed in this cause.

MAINE FAIR DATES.

Dates and secretaries of the Maine fairs for the season are: Sept. 25-27—North Knox, Union, H. L. Ginnell, Union. Oct. 2-4—West Oxford, Fryeburg, Walker McKee, Fryeburg. Oct. 2-4—New Gloucester and Daville, Upper Gloucester, J. P. Wadman, New Gloucester. Oct. 2-4—Androscoggin County, Leamore Falls, Chas. D. Dyke, Leamore Falls. Oct. 2-4—Lincoln County, Hamar, J. A. Perkins, Nobleboro. Oct. 2-4—Shapleigh and Acton, Acton, Geo. T. Crawford, Shapleigh. Oct. 4—Tranquillity Grange Agricultural Assn., Lincolnville, Lawrence C. Rankins, Lincolnville.

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Our other holdings consist of well selected acreage in Kansas and Oklahoma, in territory which is considered by oil men as highly promising for production. We will drill only in what is considered absolutely proven territory and will do no "wildcatting."

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GOULD'S ACADEMY

Miss Lane took dinners at Holden Hall for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson were in Casco and Mechanic Falls, Sept. 29.

Ether Tyler and Blanche Horlick attended the Festival in Portland.

Philip Becker has joined the freshman class and is boarding at Holden Hall.

Jennie Bean spent a week with Naomi Smith during Mrs. Smith's absence.

Dorothy Hutchings was absent from school two days on account of a severe cold.

Gwendolyn Godwin entertained Miss Pratt at her home in North Bethel, Sept. 27 and 28.

Senior and Junior declamations are due this week, Friday, September and Freshmen next week.

Bertha Bailey, Ernestine Philbrook and Annie Cummings have been recent visitors at the Academy.

Edward Parrot was absent from school three days on account of the death of his grandfather.

Miss Whitman went to South Paris, Sept. 2, and Oct. 5, but spent the week end of Sept. 28 at Holden Hall.

The Y. W. C. A. meetings will be held regular on Thursdays directly after school, instead of on Wednesday as formerly.

Ray Parker and Linwood Wilson spent the nights of Sept. 29 and 30 on Puckle Mt. They report some interesting experiences.

The Y. W. C. A. and Camp Fire Girls held a joint bacon bat on Grover Hill, Tuesday, Oct. 2. There were twenty present, the weather was perfect and all report a good time.

Prin. Hanson and family attended the Waterford Fair on Saturday. Mr. Hanson's brother, Mr. George Hanson, wife and son, returned with him and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Tuesday, Sept. 24, six recitations were held in the morning and school closed at noon. The majority of the students attended the Grange Fair at West Bethel and did their bit to help the Red Cross.

Saturday evening, Oct. 6, the Camp Fire Girls and their friends held a corn roast at the home of Gwendolyn Godwin in North Bethel. There was a royal welcome and a generous feast. The girls are grateful to their hostess for a very enjoyable occasion.

The editors of the "Herald" have been elected as follows: Editor-in-Chief, Hazel Keniston, '18; Associate Editors, Myrtle Wilson, '18; Dorothy Hutchings, '18; Myrtle Becker, '19; Marjorie Farwell, '20; Business Manager, William Hall, '19; Assistant Business Manager, Robert D. Hanson, '19.

The school social Sept. 20, which was the annual senior reception to the freshmen, was a great success. The gymnasium was decorated with national colors and branches of green leaves. Most of the credit for this is due the boys of the committee. The girls made and served delicious punch, sandwiches, cookies, and cake.

The Y. M. C. A. held its first regular meeting Sept. 27. William Hall was speaker. A large number was present and there was splendid singing. The meeting Oct. 4 was led by William Hastings, topic, "Devotion to One's Country." Chester Howe is the leader this week, subject, "How to Get the Most Out of This School Year."

The Y. W. C. A. meeting of Sept. 25 was led by Hazel Keniston. Kathryn Hanson gave the first half of the report of the Makonkey Conference Oct. 3, the report was completed by Hazel Keniston and a brief recognition service for new members was held. The subject of the meeting this week is, "Money: Its Nature and Power." The meeting will be led by the treasurer, Jennie Bean.

The Senior class has engaged Prof. George N. Cross again this year. He will be able to give but one lecture, the subject of which will be, "American History."